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**RESPONSE TO MAY 24, 2006 FINAL OFFICE ACTION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2006, a reply to which is due August 24, 2006. In view of the amendments and remarks below, reconsideration is respectfully requested.

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**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.